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TENNESSEE COUNCIL FOR THE DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING**

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## **Executive Director's Report**

**November 13, 2009**

### **August**

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| <b>14</b> | <b>Suicide Prevention Awareness Event at the Nashville Sounds</b>                    |
| <b>18</b> | <b>Alerting Devices for the Deaf Meeting</b>   |
| <b>27</b> | <b>Venue search for Southeast Regional Institute on Deafness 2012 in Chattanooga</b> |

### **September**

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| <b>9</b>       | <b>Alerting Devices for the Deaf Meeting</b>                                |
| <b>15</b>      | <b>TN Suicide Prevention Awareness Network (TSPN) Annual Memorial Event</b> |
| <b>26 – 30</b> | <b>SERID in Biloxi, Mississippi</b>   |

### **October**

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| <b>9</b>       | <b>Mental Health Workshop in Chattanooga with Steve Hamerdinger</b> |
| <b>10</b>      | <b>Northeast Tennessee Deaf Activities Deaf Awareness Banquet</b>   |
| <b>16</b>      | <b>Relay Training at Disability Determination Services</b>          |
| <b>17</b>      | <b>TAD Board Meeting and Town Hall Meeting in Chattanooga</b>       |
| <b>18</b>      | <b>Hearing Loss Association of America Chattanooga Chapter</b>      |
| <b>19</b>      | <b>TN Voices for Children Community Forum</b>                       |
| <b>26 – 27</b> | <b>National Council on Disabilities in Nashville</b>                |
| <b>28</b>      | <b>TSPN Statewide Advisory Council</b>                              |
| <b>31</b>      | <b>TN Organization of the Deaf-Blind Meeting in Nashville</b>       |

### **November**

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| <b>4</b> | <b>Alerting Devices for the Deaf Meeting</b>  |
| <b>9</b> | <b>League for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing and Ear Foundation's Name Change Celebration</b> |

-Also provided information and referral to those who sought hearing aids, interpreter services, and advocacy.